

109TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. 2119

To reauthorize the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families block grant program through June 30, 2006, and for other purposes.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 16, 2005

Mr. BAUCUS introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “TANF and Related  
5       Programs Extension Act of 2005”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF THE TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR**  
 2 **NEEDY FAMILIES (TANF), TRANSITIONAL**  
 3 **MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (TMA), AND ABSTI-**  
 4 **NENCE PROGRAMS THROUGH JUNE 30, 2006.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Activities authorized by part A of  
 6 title IV of the Social Security Act, and by sections 510,  
 7 1108(b), and 1925 of such Act, shall continue through  
 8 June 30, 2006, in the manner authorized for fiscal year  
 9 2005, notwithstanding section 1902(e)(1)(A) of such Act,  
 10 and out of any money in the Treasury of the United States  
 11 not otherwise appropriated, there are hereby appropriated  
 12 such sums as may be necessary for such purpose. Grants  
 13 and payments may be made pursuant to this authority on  
 14 a quarterly basis through the third quarter of fiscal year  
 15 2006 at the level provided for such activities for each cor-  
 16 responding quarter of fiscal year 2005.

17 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section  
 18 403(a)(3)(H)(ii) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.  
 19 603(a)(3)(H)(ii)) is amended by striking “December 31,  
 20 2005” and inserting “June 30, 2006”.

21 **SEC. 3. EXTENSION OF THE NATIONAL RANDOM SAMPLE**  
 22 **STUDY OF CHILD WELFARE AND CHILD WEL-**  
 23 **FARE WAIVER AUTHORITY THROUGH JUNE**  
 24 **30, 2006.**

25 Activities authorized by sections 429A and 1130(a)  
 26 of the Social Security Act shall continue through June 30,

1 2006, in the manner authorized for fiscal year 2005, and  
2 out of any money in the Treasury of the United States  
3 not otherwise appropriated, there are hereby appropriated  
4 such sums as may be necessary for such purpose. Grants  
5 and payments may be made pursuant to this authority on  
6 a quarterly basis through the third quarter of fiscal year  
7 2006 at the level provided for such activities for each cor-  
8 responding quarter of fiscal year 2005.

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